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TO : Chief, Intelligence Information Staff, ORR.

FROM : Chief, Economic Research, ORR.

SUBJECT : Economic Research Area Priority Requirements [REDACTED]

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REFERENCE: St/I Memorandum, "Request for Targets on Communist China," dated 25 June 1956.

1. The attached list of Economic Research Area (ERA) Priority Requirements [REDACTED] is being transmitted to you in response to your request.

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2. The methodology adopted in this summary of economic intelligence objectives and requirements is in accordance with the procedure approved at the meeting of the Intelligence Priorities Committee (IPC) on 21 June 1956. This procedure consists of two steps: (a) the listing of intelligence requirements for the kinds of information to be collected under the general objectives established in DCID 4/5 (Priority National Intelligence Objectives), and (b) the listing of the particular institutions, installations, or items which would exemplify or provide the information needed to satisfy the general requirement. The general requirements are listed as completely as possible and the specific targets under the requirements are primary examples that may be extended at much greater length if the IPC determines that further detail is necessary.

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